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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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For : **SERIAL VENTILATION DEVICE**

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**PETITION FOR A ONE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME**

Sir:

Applicant hereby requests a one-month extension of time in connection with the above-identified application for filing a Response to the Office Action mailed October 18, 2005. A response to the Office Action was originally due January 18, 2006, and the time for response is hereby extended to February 18, 2006. Since February 18, 2006 falls on a Saturday and Monday, February 20, 2006 was Presidents' Day, the period for response is extended until February 21, 2006. A check is enclosed for \$120.00 to cover the one-month extension of time fee for a large entity.

Authorization is given hereby to charge any deficiency or credit any overpayment in the enclosed fee, or to charge any additional extension of time fees necessary to preserve the pendency of the subject application, to Deposit Account No. 50-0675, Account No. 051319-0036. Additionally, any additional extensions of time required to maintain the pendency of the subject application are hereby respectfully requested.

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